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PRESIDENT: Senator Maresh.

SENATOR MARESH: Mr. President, members, I, too, will vote to advance the bill. I have an amendment but I will wait and put this on on Select File. It has to do with who is responsible for grain when it is dumped in an elevator and so I think we should advance this bill. We have discussed this enough.

PRESIDENT: Senator Dickinson.

SENATOR DICKINSON: Mr. President, I move the previous question.

PRESIDENT: All right. Do I see five seconds? I do. The question is, shall debate cease on this matter? Record.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 1 nay.

PRESIDENT: Debate ceases on the matter. Would you close debate on your motion to lay over?

SENATOR CAVANAUGH: I think it is a perfectly proper motion. On a kill motion, it makes this a controversial bill. I don't see how a kill motion cannot make a bill controversial and it certainly should not be considered on the non-controversial list under those circumstances. I think the motion should be adopted.

PRESIDENT: Record your vote. Record.

CLERK: 1 aye, 30 nays, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Motion fails. We are now on the kill motion. Do you wish to be heard on the kill motion, Senator?

SENATOR CAVANAUGH: I think this bill should be indefinitely postponed. I think this bill slid through Committee, that it wasn't considered. There is amendments that everyone seems to have made a deal that they are not to be considered. This bill isn't suppose to be talked about. If this bill is such a significant piece of legislation, I think that it should have been explained in detail and no one wants to. It is just a big rush job. It somehow got to the top of the non-controversial select list and I can understand the Speaker's concern with mills and grain elevators and I can understand Senator Mills and I am glad that it is the number one non-controversial bill but I don't think that it should be handled in that fashion.

PRESIDENT: Senator Schmit.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. President, I see Senator Burbach hit his button when Senator Cavanaugh turned him on but he turned me on first and I don't think the bill slid through Committee. The bill was heard properly in Committee. The bill is a non-controversial bill. It only became controversial when a certain, very fine young man decided to make it so, but the point is that sometimes all of us get out of line. I have, upon rare